

ORDINANCE NO. A-316

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING PERMITTED RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES ON BEAVERFORK LAKE AND ADJACENT LANDS; DEFINING CERTAIN TERMS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Recreational activity upon the waters of Beaverfork Lake, or upon any lands surrounding or adjacent thereto, as set forth in Ordinance No. A-312, adopted by the City Council of the City of Conway, Arkansas, on February 26th, 1957, shall be permitted subject to and in compliance with the following rules and regulations.

SECTION 2. As used in this ordinance:

"City" means the City of Conway, Arkansas;

"Lake" means Beaverfork Lake;

"Resident" means a person who maintains his bona fide residence within Faulkner County, Arkansas;

"Non-resident" means any person whose bona fide place of residence is situated without the boundaries of Faulkner County, Arkansas.

SECTION 3. BOATING. All boats and other such craft shall be placed upon the Lake only at such points as may be designated by the City. All persons must sign the register provided therefor and situated at the Lake office before placing any boat in the Lake, and/or before operating any boat or craft thereon.

A boating permit must be purchased for each pleasure boat prior to its use or operation upon the Lake. The fees for such permit shall be as follows:

Season permit, resident.....	\$25.00
Season permit, non-resident.....	\$35.00
Daily permit, resident.....	\$ 1.50
Daily permit, non-resident.....	\$ 2.00

All such permits shall be non-transferrable.

All boats and craft must be docked at the boat landing provided therefor, it being provided, however, that any person, firm or corporation placing any boat or craft upon said Lake does so at his or its own risk, and the City of Conway shall in no manner be liable for damage to or theft of boats or any articles left in any boat.

All boats and craft shall be operated in such manner so as not

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SECTION 4. FISHING. All fishing must be done from the Lake andk or from a boat. No wading or swimming will be permitted. Fishing from the bank shall be permitted only in those areas designated by the City.

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- Season permit, resident.....\$ 10.00
- Season permit, non-resident.....\$ 15.00

No charge shall be made for fishing from the bank.

All regulations of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission pertaining to fishing shall be in full force and effect and all fishing in Beaverfork Lake shall be subject thereto.

No gold fish or other species of carp shall be used as bait when fishing in Beaverfork Lake.

SECTION 5. PICNICKING. Picnicking will be encouraged in the areas designated therefor. All persons engaging in picnicking are requested to place all papers, unused food, trash and refuse in the receptacles provided therefor. No person, whether boating, fishing or picnicking, shall deposit any refuse, trash or other materials in the waters of the Lake, or upon those lands surrounding or adjacent tothe Lake and owned by the City. Any person violating these rules designed to prevent littering of the Lake premises shall be prosecuted.

Proper rest room facilities will be provided and human excreta and urine shall not be deposited in the waters of said lake or on any lands surrounding the Lake that are owned by the City, except at such facilities.

SECTION 6. SWIMMING. Swimming or bathing shall not be permitted in any part of Beaverfork Lake.

SECTION 7. It shall be unlawful for any person to climb upon,

enter or fish from the concrete intake structure or tower of the Lake.

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SECTION 9. The foregoing rules and regulations are promulgated under authority of Ordinance No. A-312 of the City of Conway, adopted the 26th day of February, 1957. Any violation of any of the foregoing provisions shall be deemed a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine of not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$200.00 for each offense.

SECTION 10. The City of Conway or its duly appointed agent or employee shall have the power and authority to revoke any permit issued hereunder for violation of these rules and regulations. The City further reserves the right, for cause shown, to refuse entry of any boat or craft, or boat owner or operator, to said Lake.

SECTION 11. This ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and welfare, an emergency is declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

PASSED: April 9, 1957.

APPROVED: _____

Mayor

ATTEST: Walter Dunaway
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